

THE RETAIL MERCHANTS ASK

City Council to Revoke License of Takito Company in View of Police Court Finding.

Matter Was Referred to the Finance Committee After Reading of Letter from Retail Merchants' Association--

Ald. Elliott Brings Up Question Relative to Proposed Industry--Reports of Committees Passed On.

At the meeting of the City Council, on Monday night, a letter was received from the Kingston Retail Merchants' Association, asking that the council revoke the license issued a short time ago to the Takito company, or A. G. Johnstone, representing the said company, having been fined in the police court for misrepresenting their goods. The letter was referred to the Finance committee.

Ald. Couper put in a strong plea to have the matter dealt with by the council at once, stating that the merchants were anxious to have the matter dealt with as speedily as possible.

The letter, which was signed by Stacey & Stacey, John Laidlaw, R. W. Waldron, George Mills and Howard Marshall, stated that the council, under the provision of section 253, of the municipal act, had the power to revoke a license, used under this authority, and is not bound to give any reason for revoking the license. Although council need not give any reason in this case, there was reason for doing so, because the holder of the license was recently found guilty in the police court, of fraudulent misrepresentation, in connection with the sale of his goods, and was fined \$100, the prosecution having been taken up by a representative of the Dominion government.

"We think the license should be revoked, so as to protect innocent purchasers and the merchant of the city who are carrying on a legitimate business," the letter read.

Ald. Elliott's Report.

Just before the council adjourned Ald. Elliott arose on a question of privilege.

"Since the last meeting of the council," he said, "certain information has reached the city concerning Mr. Samwell, who has asked the council to sub-

SALTS IF KIDNEYS OR BLADDER BOTHER

HARMLESS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS AND NEUTRALIZE IRRITATING ACIDS

Kidney and Bladder weakness result from uric acid, says a noted authority. The kidneys filter this acid from the blood and pass it to the bladder, where it often remains to irritate and inflame, causing a burning, scalding sensation, or setting up an irritation at the neck of the bladder, obliging you to seek relief two or three times during the night. The sufferer is in constant dread, as scalding water passes sometimes with a scalding sensation and is very profuse; again there is difficulty in voiding it.

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like backing up a chairman when there was a move on tap to reorganize a certain system. He felt the chairman should be given time and that matters should not be rushed.

There was much discussion on the matter in which several aldermen took part, also the mayor. The mayor pointed out that if Ald. Fair objected to clause three of the report then the report was not before council.

Ald. Couper's motion, seconded by Ald. Elliott, was then voted on and defeated; which means that the question of the appointment of a clerk for the engineer's office goes back to the board again for further discussion.

Reports of Committees.

The report of the Civic Utilities committee was adopted, and during a discussion on it Ald. Elliott pointed out that the new street lamps asked for, it was just a question of expenditure which will be involved.

The question of lighting the streets brought Ald. Graham to his feet and he delivered a stirring address on the growth of Kingston. "Kingston is growing," he said, "and we want to see her grow; to help make the city grow we must have good street lights. I don't care if it costs \$5,000, give us the lights. There are many streets in the city where there are no lights."

Utilities Committee.

The report of the Utilities committee was passed and recommended:

That the tender of the Eugene Phillips Electric Works for two (2) tons of No. 2 double-braided, weather-proof wire be accepted at a price of \$20.22 per 100 lbs., the above price to include delivery f.o.b. Kingston.

That the chairman and manager be authorized to call for tenders and award the contract for 50,000 imperial gallons of gas oil.

That eleven (11) channels and 1-beams be purchased from Selby & Youden at a price of \$122.50, their tender being the lowest.

That twenty (20) 5-ampere, and ten (10) 20-ampere single phase, 60-cycle, 110-volt, A. C. Wattmeters be purchased from the Canadian Westinghouse company at a contract price of \$10.71 for the 5-ampere, and \$15.88 for the 20-ampere, and that twenty (20) 10-ampere, single phase, 60-cycle, 110-volt, A. C. Wattmeters be purchased from the Packard Electric company at a contract price of \$10 each; the above prices to include delivery f.o.b. Kingston.

That the chairman and manager be empowered to call for tenders and award the contract for 2,000 feet of 2 inch, 200 feet of 2 1/2 inch and 200 feet of 3 inch lap-welded wrought iron pipe.

That the sum of \$25 be paid Chas. Chambers, as a complete settlement in connection with damage to his horse and conveyance.

That the chairman and manager be empowered to call for tenders for one 6-inch water meter for use in connection with the supplying of water to the Grand Trunk Railway system at the Outer Depot.

That the tender of Thos. Angrove for approximately seventy-five (75) service boxes, be accepted at a price of \$2.90 per 100 lbs. this tender being the lowest, and that the chairman and manager be empowered to call for tenders and award contract.

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for the necessary manholes and castings for use in connection with underground conduit system.

The report of C. C. Folger, general manager, re arc lighting, was adopted. The report stated that provision has been made for a stationing equipment capable of looking after an extra circuit of seventy-five (75) lights, and in the accompanying list, a recommendation for fifty-five (55) lights has been made.

At the present time we have three circuits in operation, and to properly equip and provide for the outlying districts it will be necessary to sub-divide the city into four districts, which will make a better distribution, closer regulation, and lessen the annoyance and inconvenience from interruption of service.

In a great many places new lines will have to be built, but these extensions can be made permanent, so that the residents in the newly populated areas can also be supplied with incandescent lighting; these latter circuits being carried on the same poles.

The total approximate expenditure required, including stationing equipment, lamps, poles, wires and overhead construction, erect, ready for operation, would be twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000), and the guaranteed revenue from same from the city would be two thousand, seven hundred and forty dollars (\$2,740).

On recommendation of the Board of Works it was decided that the request of the following petitioners for the removal of trees in front of their property be referred to the city engineer with power to act:

Mrs. William Good, 81 Clergy street west; J. C. Mitchell, 49 Clergy street; Samuel Rice, 430 Brock street; John Jenkins, 154 Ordnance street. That the petition of C. A. McPherson and others for concrete walks on the east side of Alfred street, from Alice street to Union street be granted if sufficiently urged.

These recommendations of the Finance committee passed:

On the communication from W. J. Baker, asking for rebate of \$45 for six months' license, that the request be granted.

That the sum of \$100 be paid to Mrs. Ethel King, and \$60 to Mrs. Dutton, on the recommendation of the city solicitor, in settlement of all claims against the corporation on account of injury.

Council passed these recommendations of the Property committee:

That the offer of the manager of the Bank of British North America to pay the sum of \$100 to the city for the satisfactory heating of the bank and caretaker's quarters be accepted.

That the tender of McKelvey & Birch to pay the sum of \$63 for 17 old stoves, pans, boards, and old pipes lately in use in the city buildings be accepted, being the highest.

Ask For Sewer.

William Bassam and others presented the following petition which was referred to the utilities committee:

"That that part of the main, laid on lower Alfred street, save sixteen feet ago, be connected with the main on Alice street, for sanitary reasons, feeling that in a short time it will be a paying investment for the city, and a blessing for your petitioners."

In presenting the petition, Mr. Bassam stated that he had been a resident of Kingston for upwards of thirty-five years and living on Lower Alfred street during that time, and seen many changes in that part of the city.

"I can well remember how pleased I was when I got my well finished," he added, "and we were able to get a pall of good water, and when the corporation gave me a two-plank walk from Union street, to my house, and a coal-oil lamp on the corner of Albert and Union streets; but after awhile the Board of Health came along and ordered all the wells, telling us they were full of typhoid and other germs, and that they should all be filled up. At this time the city had bought the water works, and how glad we all were in due time the well was filled in and the city water turned on, that we would be able to have all the pure water we wanted, but what was our feelings when in a few years the medical men and the newspapers commenced to talk about the danger there was in drinking the water from near the dead end. 'Now, Mr. Mayor and aldermen, there is one at my door. I have made no complaint and have taken the water for a long time, knowing there was no revenue to come from the balance of the main from my

house on Alice street, but now there is likely to be a number of consumers, and I would respectfully ask you to give this to the utilities committee for their careful consideration. Hoping that they in their wisdom, will connect the mains at once, I might say the drain is down seventy feet deep from Union to Alice, there will only be earth to remove."

Other Business Taken Up.

A letter was received from D. A. Givens, city solicitor, stating that the city was now in a position to pass payment for \$370, to the Canadian Pacific railway, to cover the cost of ties, labor, etc., in connection with the railway siding which was placed for the Frontenac Tile & Floor company.

A letter was read from J. H. Macnee, secretary of the Board of Trade, with regard to the request of the industrial commissioner of the C.P.R. desiring information relative to inducements the city has to offer industries. The council of the Board of Trade asked that the city formulate some definite plan on these lines. The matter was referred to the civic industries committee.

The following other matters were referred to various committees: Petition of carriers to open telephone station at the foot of Johnson street.

E. W. Mullin, re sale of house near fire station on Brock street, to the city.

Montreal Transportation company, asking for renewal of exemption of taxes.

G. Y. Chown, re remission of taxes on lot 9, Alfred street.

Helen Fraser, asking for remission of last year's income tax.

John Jenkins re tree removal.

Elmer Davis, re sewer and water connections on Thomas street.

N. E. O'Connor, re concrete walk in Clarence street, from Walling's street to the intersection of Brock street.

The council passed a by-law, for the construction of a small sewer connection on Princess street, between University avenue and Division street, to meet with the requirements of some new houses.

Mayor Rigney presided at the meeting, and the other members present were Ald. Couper, Clingston, Elliott, Fair, Graham, Gillette, Harry, Hanley, Harrison, Mack, Kent, Litton, Peters, Ross, Shaw, Stroud and Sutherland.

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London, Oct. 14.—The Berlin Morgenpost learns that Dr. Diesel, inventor of the oil engine, who mysteriously disappeared from an Antwerp steamer, left his family entirely without means and in the greatest need. He was known to have undergone great financial difficulties in the early stages of his work, but after the success of his motor it was understood that he became wealthy.

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